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Town of Meredith

YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15, 1905.

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Annual Reports

OF THE

TOWN OFFICERS

OF THE

TOWN OF MEREDITH

FOR THE

YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15,

1905.



MEREDITH, N.H.

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1905.

TOWN OFFICERS.

Moderator,

GEO. F. SMITH.

Town Clerk,

JOHN S. WADLEIGH.

Selectmen,

GEO. F. SANBORN,

FRED H. SMITH,

BERT G. ORDWAY.

Treasurer,

FRANK B. PEASE.

Supervisors,

DUDLEY LEAVITT,

JOHN H. COLLINS,

EDMUND PAGE.

Representative,

WILBUR W. BALLARD.

Auditors,

EDMUND QUIMBY,

BERTRAM BLAISDELL.

Board of Health,

FREDERICK L. HAWKINS, M. D., PHILLIP McCRILLIS,

NATHAN G. PLUMMER.

Surveyors of Wood and Lumber,

CHAS. S. WOODMAN, NATHAN G. PLUMMER,

EDMUND PAGE, GEO. R. MALOON,

FRANK L. DAVISON.

Police,

EDMUND PAGE.

Town School Board.

ANDREW L. FELKER,

WILBUR W. BALLARD,

JOSEPH. F. SMITH.

Board of Education, District No. 5,

BERTRAM BLAISDELL, Chairman,

F. L. HAWKINS, Treasurer,

EDWIN C. MANSFIELD, Secretary, ELLA E. EATON,

EDMUND QUIMBY.

CASSANDRA L. HALL.

Public Library Trustees,

B. R. DEARBORN, Chairman,

F. H. SMITH, Treasurer,

MRS. LILLIAN WADLEIGH, Secretary,

MISS SARAH M. NOYES, ROY F. BICKFORD.

TOWN WARRANT.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

To the Inhabitants of Meredith Qualified to Vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall, in said town on the second Tuesday of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

- 1st To bring in your ballot for Town Clerk, three Selectmen, Treasurer, two Auditors, Collector of Taxes and Police Officer.
- 2nd To choose all other necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.
- 3rd To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the support of Schools and to defray the expense of outside tuition, as required by law.
- 4th To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the repairs of Highways and Bridges and specify how the same shall be laid out.
- 5th To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for Town Charges.
- 6th To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to defray the expenses of Memorial Day.
- 7th To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the use of the Town Library.

- 8th To see what action the town will take in relation to leasing the Town Hall.
- 9th To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the support of Firemen and the protection of property against fire in Meredith Village Fire District.
- 10th To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the payment of concrete in the village streets.
- 11th To see what action the town will take in regard to instructing the Selectmen to make an assessment for the purpose of taxation upon a part or whole of the property and capital of the Atlas Linen Company. By petition.
- 12th To see what action the town will take in relation to the New Roads law, so-called, passed by the legislature of 1905, and if its requirements be adopted, to raise money to meet the same.
- 13th To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-fifth day of February, 1905:

GEORGE F. SANBORN,
FRED H. SMITH,
BERT G. ORDWAY,

Selectmen of Meredith.

A true copy, attest:

GEORGE F. SANBORN,
FRED H. SMITH,
BERT G. ORDWAY,

Selectmen of Meredith.

INVENTORY.

Real Estate.	\$541,172 00
469 Polls,	46,900 00
329 Horses,	17,772 00
95 Oxen,	4,094 00
596 Cows,	13,070 00
268 Other Neat Stock,	5,572 00
216 Sheep,	776 00
2 Hogs,	20 00
58 Carriages,	1,940 00
Stock in Banks,	3,800 00
Money on Hand or on Deposit,	8,720 00
Stock in Trade,	46,260 00
Mills and Machinery,	7,500 00
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	\$697,596 00

VALUATION.

Town,	\$697,596 00
Town School District,	367,886 00
School District No. 5,	329,710 00
Village Fire District,	315,552 00

RATE OF TAXATION.

Town,	\$1 78
Town School District,	18
School District No. 5,	29
Village Fire District,	73

NUMBER OF SCHOOL CHILDREN.

Boys,	102
Girls,	96

SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

THE TOWN OF MEREDITH,

Cr.

By balance reported Feb. 15, 1904,	\$1,879 52
Assessment of State Tax,	1,131 00
County tax,	2,453 90
School Money,	2,858 00
Highways and Bridges,	3,500 00
Memorial Day,	100 00
Public Library,	500 00
Fire Protection,	480 00
Town Charges,	500 00
Copying Town Records,	50 00
Fire District Tax,	2,268 44
School District No. 5 Tax,	925 00
Town School District Tax,	650 00
Concrete Streets,	750 00
Overlay by percentage,	175 41
Amount Rec'd: Insurance Tax,	66 00
Railroad Tax,	321 54
Savings Bank Tax,	2,425 42
Literary Fund,	187 55
High School Tuition,	174 57
Rent Thos. L. Leavitt land,	13 50
Property sold for taxes, 1903,	5 55
Belknap County,	787 74

Mrs. S. D. Sanborn, note,	\$ 1,300 00
A. A. Kidder, note,	500 00
Meredith Village Savings Bank, note,	1,000 00
Sale of property for taxes,	3 92
License Fees,	6 20
Dog Licenses,	251 18
Interest on taxes, 1900-1-2,	118 05
Old Safe,	5 00
Property sold to town, redeemed, 1902,	84 31
Property sold for taxes, redeemed, 1904,	32 67
Interest on taxes, 1904,	24 39
Bounty on Hedgehogs,	13 50
Rent Thos. L. Leavitt house,	5 00
Interest on G. G. Fogg bequest,	31 07
Sale of old Ferry Boat,	10 00
B. R. Dearborn, Justice fines,	6 00
M. D. Cole, license Pool Table,	10 00
E. R. Mitchell, rent Town Hall,	65 00
Additional taxes, 1903,	45 46
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	\$25,714 89


THE TOWN OF MEREDITH, **Dr.**

Appropriations.

Geo. K. James, Memorial Day,	\$ 100 00
F. H. Smith, Treasurer Public Library,	500 00
Edmund Quimby, Fire Protection,	480 00
State Tax,	1,131 00
County Tax,	2,453 90
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	\$4,664 90

School Money.

A. J. Mead, Town District,	\$1,604 17
F. L. Hawkins, District No. 5,	1,500 00
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	\$3,104 17

School Supplies.

A. L. Felker, Town District,	\$147 13
E. C. Mansfield, District No. 5,	258 27
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	\$405 40

Main Street Steel and Iron Bridge.

A. B. Black, bridge,	\$475 00
L. M. Pike & Son, concreting,	75 00
Bartlett & Smith, foundation,	71 69
D. F. Bean, labor on and lighting,	24 30
H. D. Morrison, trucking,	8 10
C. E. Clark, stone work,	4 75
J. H. Morrison, trucking,	5 25
D. F. Bean, sand,	80
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	\$664 89

County Aid to Dependent Soldiers and Their Families.

Paid by order for care and supplies,	\$338 60
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County Charges.

Paid by order for care and supplies,	\$206 21
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Town Aid to Dependent Soldiers and Their Families.

For care and supplies,	\$79 83
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Town Charges.

For care and supplies,	\$31 30
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Damage to Domestic Animals by Dogs.

D. M. Whitcher damage to sheep,	\$15 00
H. H. Piper, damage to hens,	10 00
E. F. Wiggim, damage to sheep,	16 00
W. H. Neal, "	26 00
M. C. Brown, "	20 00
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	\$87 00

Use of Watering Troughs.

H. F. Hawkins, 1904,	\$3 00
W. S. Mead, 1903-4,	5 00
M. G. Webster, 1904,	3 00
N. B. Plummer, 1904,	3 00
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	\$14 00

Highway Tax Refunded.

C. J. Smith,	\$5 40
Lucien C. Kelley,	6 60
W. E. Veasey,	4 80
Moses Chapman, 1903-4,	19 20
Roy F. Bickford,	7 80
A. M. Hutchins, 1903-4,	9 00
D. E. Eaton,	1 80

Smith & Hoyt,	\$ 6 00
Solomon Lovejoy,	15 00
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	\$75 60



Bounty on Hedgehogs.

Bert G. Ordway,	\$ 9 25
F. H. Smith,	1 00
Geo. F. Sanborn,	3 25
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	\$13 50



Drinking Fountains—C. Henry Adams Legacy.

Concord Foundry & Machine Co., two fountains,	\$ 62 00
J. U. Farnham, granite foundation,	9 00
R. S. Moses, labor,	1 50
Gilbert Pynn, labor and material,	13 32
Geo. F. Sanborn, paid express on faucet,	25
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	\$86 07

GENERAL EXPENSES.



W. T. Lance, printing envelopes and ballots for Town Clerk,	\$ 15 75
W. T. Lance, newspaper notices,	2 50
W. T. Lance, printing town reports,	88 00
J. T. Sturtevant, rent of annex to Town Hall, to Apr. 1, 1904,	25 00
Martin B. Plummer, taking off conveyances, 1903,	7 40
P. A. Ellsworth, balance insurance on Town Hall,	1 67
W. T. Lance, printing tax bills, order books, dog licenses, newspaper notices,	22 00
F. A. Bartlett, trucking and freight,	1 56
Geo. H. Clark & Co., sills for town hall,	1 85
Meredith Shook & Lumber Co., wood for lock-up,	1 50
State Industrial School, board of Walter Perkins,	61 82
E. C. Eastman, blank books,	4 45
W. T. Lance, stationery for Town Clerk,	1 50
J. P. Sanborn, damage to horse on highway,	15 00
Fred A. Bickford, building ferry boat for Bear Is- land,	150 00
Bartlett & Smith, cement and repairs on Town Hall,	14 21
A. D. Lee, labor and staging for Town Hall,	3 00
W. W. Ballard, flag staff and setting,	5 40
F. H. Smith, wood for lockup,	4 00
F. H. Smith, expense to Concord for State Tax,	1 80
P. A. Ellsworth, insurance on lock-up,	4 00

Bertram Blaisdell, insurance on Town Hall,	\$ 24 75
B. R. Dearborn, property bid off by town for taxes, 1904,	127 95
Martin B. Plummer, recording deed for School Board,	60
J. S. Wadleigh, return of marriages, births and deaths,	16 00
J. S. Wadleigh, recording marriages, births and deaths, 1904,	9 60
E. R. Mitchell, setting up booths, March–Novem- ber, 1904, and repairs to hall,	9 75
Kate L. French, copying inventory,	10 00
J. S. Wadleigh, stationery and postage,	2 50
Dr. H. S. Beckford, vital statistics—Tom Scholard and Sylvester Pickering,	50
Gilbert Pynn, repairs to watering trough and gut- ter on Town Hall,	7 33
A. Dolloff, damage to sleigh,	2 00
J. F. Philbrick, land damage, street off Terrace Ave.,	15 00
Solomon Lovejoy, boat service to Bear Island,	10 00
Edmund Page, looking after unlicensed dogs,	20 25
Edmund Page, care of Warren E. Smith, insane,	2 82
Edmund Page, Town of Meredith vs. F. L. Haw- kins, A. F. Hall, Geo. W. Bartlett,	4 86
Geo. F. Sanborn, binding cases, stationery, express and postage,	2 72
A. Chester Clark, copying town records,	50 00
Geo. F. Sanborn, insurance on Town Hall,	24 75
Bert G. Ordway, expense taking Warren E. Smith to asylum,	7 83
Geo. F. Sanborn, balance insurance on Town Hall,	1 67
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	\$783 29

Town Officers.

Ira C. Boynton, services as Auditor,	\$ 2 00
P. A. Ellsworth, collecting taxes,	100 00
A. L. Felker, services as ballot inspector, March 1904,	2 00
W. M. Rand estate, services as Supervisor,	24 00
P. A. Ellsworth, services as Collector,	136 07
J. H. Collins, services as Supervisor, Feb., 1903, to Nov., 1904,	35 00
Fred M. Weeks, services as Supervisor, Nov., 1904,	6 00
R. S. Moses, services as Special Police July 3-4, 1904,	4 00
E. R. Mitchell, services as Special Police,	7 75
Dudley Leavitt, services as Supervisor, 1903-1905,	35 00
J. S. Wadleigh, services as Town Clerk,	50 00
A. S. Moulton, services as Election Officer, March 1902,	3 00
Fred H. Smith, services as Selectman,	95 00
Bert G. Ordway, " "	95 00
Geo. F. Sanborn, " "	100 00
A. J. Mead, services as Treasurer Town School District,	10 00
Phillip McCrillis, services on Board of Health,	25 00
F. B. Pease, services as Treasurer and paid for Bond,	62 50
Gilbert Pynn, services as Ballot Inspector,	9 00
F. L. Hawkins, Treasurer Board of Education, District No. 5,	60 00
F. L. Hawkins, services on Board of Health,	10 00
B. R. Dearborn, collecting taxes,	225 00
B. R. Dearborn, services as Prosecuting Agent,	3 00
B. R. Dearborn, services as Election Officer, 1901-1905,	28 00
B. R. Dearborn, collecting back taxes,	77 65
Edmund Page, services as Police from Feb. 15, 1904 to Feb. 15, 1905,	35 00
A. L. Felker, services as member Town School Board,	40 00

J. F. Smith, services as member of Town School Board,	\$ 40 00
W. W. Ballard, services as member Town School Board,	40 00
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	\$1,359 97

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Surveyors of 1903.

Village District,	\$ 156 68
J. H. Collins,	54 64
G. F. Pickering,	30 37
O. N. Roberts,	88 30
N. B. Boynton,	73 58
Mead Boynton,	18 38
W. D. Brown,	40 39
W. H. Brown,	11 47
C. E. Kimball,	68 21
Alonzo Jenness,	28 10
R. P. Brown,	95 10
R. F. Bickford,	83 78
F. L. Blake,	12 83
W. W. Ballard,	63 16
A. L. Felker,	22 63
J. H. Colby,	12 21
E. F. Perkins,	42 90
E. E. Chase,	43 85
W. K. Kimball,	24 42
H. E. Emery,	30 19
J. W. Eastman,	24 37
D. R. Caverly,	11 25
S. D. Hinds,	6 22
J. M. Neal,	16 38
Geo. C. Lawrence,	22 27
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	\$1,081 68

Surveyors of 1904.

DISTRICT No. 1.

W. D. BROWN, SURVEYOR.

SUMMER.

W. D. Brown,	\$ 17 11
C. H. Bickford,	11 50
A. D. Plummer,	1 50
Lindsay Allen,	9 50
Chas. A. Allen,	4 50
Leo. R. Swain,	4 80
S. B. Meloan,	4 50
J. C. Dockham,	5 00
Elbridge Thompson,	6 27
J. E. Bickford,	7 25
C. I. Gordon,	3 25
J. W. Wiggin,	6 00
D. H. Clark,	3 00
Benj. Batchelder,	3 00
Bickford and Brown,	13 85
C. S. Bickford,	2 00
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	\$103 03

WINTER.

W. D. Brown,	\$ 4 45
Solomon Lovejoy,	45
J. E. Bickford,	3 05
A. D. Thompson,	30
O. L. Bickford,	1 88
J. R. Gould,	2 40
S. B. Maloon,	5 80
G. O. Swain,	53
Leo R. Swain,	60
Granville Swain,	30
J. C. Dockham,	3 38
G. D. Graham,	2 25
C. I. Gordon,	2 40

C. H. Bickford,	\$ 4 45
A. J. Mead,	80
Roy Moulton,	35
Harold Davis,	65
L. C. Kelley,	1 15
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	\$35 19



DISTRICT No. 2.

ROY F. BICKFORD, SURVEYOR.

SUMMER.

J. W. Wiggin,	\$ 29 80
Geo. N. Eaton,	21 00
D. H. Clark,	15 00
Benj. Batchelder,	10 75
Moses Bickford,	8 25
John Eaton,	6 75
Harry Salter,	3 00
Henry H. Piper,	6 00
R. F. Bickford,	28 80
D. F. Gilman,	3 00
E. Varney,	1 00
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	\$133 35

WINTER.

Harry McNeil,	\$ 3 30
C. N. Roberts,	4 58
Edward Freese,	2 85
D. H. Clark,	10 35
Benj. Batchelder,	3 82
J. W. Wiggin,	7 05
A. F. Mead,	2 55
G. N. Eaton,	9 85
C. H. Eaton,	4 90

D. F. Gilman,	\$ 5 00
Moses Bickford,	4 25
R. F. Bickford,	8 90
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	\$67 40



DISTRICT NO. 3.

O. N. ROBERTS, SURVEYOR.

SUMMER.

O. N. Roberts,	\$41 17
B. C. Roberts,	8 36
T. H. Batchelder,	8 39
Bert Perkins,	3 00
Dudley Leavitt,	8 70
A. S. Moulton,	10 00
S. W. Casey,	3 36
Chas. H. Berry,	1 87
John Easter,	38
H. H. Moulton,	5 55
M. Moulton,	5 25
Leon Hawkins,	4 00
Mr. Best,	75
M. Bickford,	2 00
G. M. Prescott,	80
W. W. Ballard,	8 00
Bert Livingstone,	2 00
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	\$113 58

WINTER.

O. N. Roberts,	\$15 05
B. C. Roberts,	4 89
Oren Fellows,	6 15
Everett Bennett,	64
H. H. Moulton,	3 30
Myron Moulton,	2 62
Sidney Gault,	90
Bert Mead,	1 60
Norris Bartlett,	2 00

A. S. Moulton,	\$ 97
S. W. Casey,	2 00
Dudley Leavitt,	1 00
John Easter,	1 50
Joe King,	2 00
R. S. Moses,	68
J. F. Robinson,	75
Henry Wallace,	68
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	\$46 73



DISTRICT No. 4.

GEO. C. LAWRENCE, SURVEYOR.

SUMMER.

Geo. C. Lawrence,	\$ 6 90
O. N. Roberts,	2 00
Fred Perkins,	30
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	\$ 9 20

WINTER.

Geo. C. Lawrence,	\$ 11 26
E. S. Lincoln,	5 62
E. W. Sturtevant,	8 92
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	\$25 80



DISTRICT No. 5.

W. H. BROWN, SURVEYOR.

SUMMER.

W. H. Brown,	\$ 6 08
I. L. Powers,	3 75

D. B. Eaton,	\$ 1 50
O. N. Roberts,	3 50
L. Batchelder,	75
B. C. Roberts,	75
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	\$16 33

WINTER.

W. H. Brown,	\$ 4 43
I. L. Powers,	2 70
Leon Hawkins,	2 75
M. G. Webster,	5 00
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	\$14 88



DISTRICT No. 6.

ALONZO JENNESS, SURVEYOR.

SUMMER.

Alonzo Jenness,	\$15 60
Chester A. Jenness,	7 20
Geo. E. Jenness,	6 97
Daniel Jenness,	4 27
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	\$34 04

WINTER.

Chester A. Jenness,	\$ 2 01
Alonzo Jenness, Jr.,	67
Geo. E. Jenness,	75
J. H. Jenness,	1 65
H. F. Hawkins,	1 00
Alonzo Jenness,	10 32
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	\$16 40

DISTRICT NO. 7.

HOLLIS L. WIGGIN, SURVEYOR.

SUMMER.

Hollis L. Wiggin,	\$ 10 11
E. F. Wiggin,	19 65
Geo. Cross,	1 50
James A. Sprague,	4 05
Albert Sprague,	8 50
John S. Merrill,	2 10
Ralph Merrill,	5 25
Ed. Hartshorn,	2 40
Chas. Rollins,	10 65
Sandy Ramsay,	9 00
Geo. Caverly,	2 25
Geo. Wiggin,	1 50
W. H. Neal,	3 00
Geo. Knox,	12 00
G. M. Moulton,	12 00
Geo. Clark,	2 03
Chas. Flood,	53
Percy Lane,	60
Chas. Cross,	1 80
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	\$108 92

WINTER.

H. L. Wiggin,	\$ 6 84
E. F. Wiggin,	19 75
J. A. Sprague,	2 30
Albert Sprague,	1 95
J. S. Merrill,	75
Ed. Hartshorn,	30
Geo. Cayerly,	1 50
Ed. Clark,	38
Geo. Knox,	30
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	\$34 07

DISTRICT NO. 8.

J. M. NEAL, SURVEYOR.

SUMMER.

J. M. Neal,	\$29 25
F. H. Smith,	18 00
O. N. Roberts,	9 00
G. F. Smith,	4 35
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	\$60 60

WINTER.

J. M. Neal,	\$ 8 50
F. H. Smith,	4 00
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	\$12 50



DISTRICT NO. 9.

R. P. BROWN, SURVEYOR.

SUMMER.

L. S. Pease,	\$ 3 00
D. S. Corliss,	2 75
Norman Corliss,	21 35
Geo. Brown,	75
Chas. Flood,	8 53
Wm. Henderson,	5 40
M. C. Brown,	12 75
R. P. Brown,	44 03
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	\$98 56

WINTER.

R. P. Brown,	\$38 73
Percy Lane,	1 05
M. C. Brown,	27 63
Norman Corliss,	3 98
F. G. Smith,	5 55
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	\$76 94

DISTRICT NO. 9½.

MEAD BOYNTON, SURVEYOR.

SUMMER.

Mead Boynton,	\$ 9 25
Aaron Chase,	7 75
J. Allen,	2 50
C. J. Smith,	3 75
R. P. Brown,	3 50
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	\$26 75

WINTER.

Mead Boynton,	\$ 9 00
Aaron Chase,	3 95
D. S. Burleigh,	5 10
Frank Moody,	2 33
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	\$20 38



DISTRICT NO. 10.

W. K. KIMBALL, SURVEYOR.

SUMMER.

W. K. Kimball,	\$18 20
R. L. Colby,	6 30
A. Nedeau,	6 15
John Nedeau,	4 50
Irville Kimball,	8 40
E. B. Smith,	2 55
W. H. Brown,	3 00
N. G. Plummer,	1 50
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	\$ 50 60

WINTER.

W. K. Kimball,	\$19 14
E. B. Smith,	3 60

I. W. Kimball,	\$ 45
H. L. Kimball,	60
J. Johnson,	2 80
Joseph Livingston,	2 40
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	\$28 99



DISTRICT NO. 11.

J. H. COLLINS, SURVEYOR.

SUMMER.

J. H. Collins,	\$ 14 00
Ralph Collins,	14 40
Herman Kimball,	1 20
Howard Smith,	3 00
J. A. Edwards,	25 17
Leon Marston,	14 00
W. K. Kimball,	14 00
Lewis L. Collins,	6 75
F. E. Collins,	10 05
Seth Ranlet,	1 50
Fred Collins,	1 50
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	\$105 57

WINTER.

J. H. Collins,	\$27 00
Ralph Collins,	8 25
J. A. Edwards,	3 75
H. L. Kimball,	60
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	\$ 39 60



DISTRICT NO. 12.

N. B. BOYNTON, SURVEYOR.

SUMMER.

N. B. Boynton,	\$ 32 55
R. N. Piper,	24 15

C. J. Smith,	\$ 5 00
W. Palmer,	2 55
A. Williams,	3 50
F. L. Blake,	2 50
Seth Ranlet,	1 50
Benj. Johnson,	2 25
J. Thompson,	2 50
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	\$76 50

WINTER.

N. B. Boynton,	\$33 15
J. Thompson,	1 00
J. Chase,	1 50
Ben. Young,	75
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	\$36 40



DISTRICT NO. 12½.

F. L. BLAKE, SURVEYOR.

F. L. Blake,	\$28 15
A. Williams,	6 20
N. B. Boynton,	7 00
R. N. Piper,	2 00
F. B. Dolloff,	60
W. Palmer,	6 75
W. Frost,	4 05
C. J. Smith,	5 00
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	\$59 75

WINTER.

F. L. Blake,	\$14 15
F. S. Taylor,	1 50
Eugene Dolloff,	4 70
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	\$20 35

DISTRICT No. 13.

C. E. KIMBALL, SURVEYOR.

SUMMER.

C. E. Kimball,	\$42 00
C. L. Kimball,	18 67
J. Mitchell,	2 35
Ezra Chase,	4 73
Alanson Dolloff,	2 86
Warren Kimball,	5 25
J. L. Russell,	2 25
Chas. Thompson,	10 33

 \$88 34

WINTER.

G. Flanders,	\$ 90
J. Robinson,	1 72
Lewis Robinson,	2 17
James Mitchell,	2 25
J. L. Russell,	2 10
A. Dolloff,	45
Ezra R. Chase,	11 70
Chas. Thompson,	12 98
C. E. Kimball,	11 25
Arthur Williams,	15 84
C. L. Kimball,	11 25

 \$72 61


DISTRICT No. 14.

A. L. FELKER, SURVEYOR.

SUMMER.

A. L. Felker,	\$13 65
L. A. Higgins,	5 62
Frank Higgins,	3 00
Joseph Laflamme,	3 00

Fred Higgins,	\$ 3 00
E. F. Perkins,	10 00
N. B. Boynton,	7 00
C. L. Smith,	7 00
Adolph Nedean,	1 50
Carl Tuttle,	12 75
Chas. Elliott.	2 50
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	\$69 02

WINTER.

A. L. Felker,	\$12 40
W. H. Felker,	9 90
L. A. Higgins,	2 25
Chas. L. Smith,	9 48
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	\$34 03



DISTRICT NO. 15.

S. D. HINDS, SURVEYOR.

SUMMER.

W. Smith,	\$ 1 50
S. D. Hines,	24 45
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	\$25 95

WINTER.

S. D. Hines,	\$14 42
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DISTRICTS NO. 16-17.

G. F. PICKERING, SURVEYOR.

SUMMER.

G. F. Pickering,	\$12 85
F. E. Pickering,	12 82

Clarence Pickering,	\$ 9 00
O. J. Pickering,	3 30
Seth Ranlet,	1 50
N. B. Boynton,	11 00
C. J. Smith,	5 00
S. D. Moses,	5 70
N. J. Chase;	6 75
F. S. Taylor,	7 70
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	\$75 62

WINTER.

G. F. Pickering,	\$16 07
J. J. Prescott,	7 72
Floyd Prescott,	4 42
F. E. Pickering,	3 67
C. E. Pickesing,	3 52
O. J. Pickering,	3 41
Seth Ranlett,	8 21
N. B. Plummer,	88
N. J. Chase,	1 94
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	\$40 84



DISTRICTS NO. 18-24.

H. E. EMERY, SURVEYOR.

SUMMER.

H. E. Emery,	\$25 40
E. N. Chase,	6 45
J. Willets,	6 70
A. B. Piper,	10 20
S. D. Moses,	8 25
W. Smith,	7 00
Elmer Sanborn,	9 00
I. H. Merrill,	7 00

W. K. Kimball,	\$ 7 00
H. Kimball,	3 00
J. Nedeau,	1 20
G. Ferguson,	50
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	\$91 70

WINTER.

H. E. Emery,	\$24 35
A. B. Piper,	5 85
S. D. Moses,	1 50
Peter Nedeau,	97
Arthur Casey,	95
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	\$33 62



DISTRICT No. 19.

BERT G. ORDWAY, SURVEYOR.

SUMMER.

Bert G. Ordway,	\$ 8 25
C. L. Smith,	10 50
I. Merrill,	7 00
E. F. Perkins,	3 50
Frank Chase,	6 00
E. E. Chase,	6 75
Chas. Swain,	4 65
Frank Huckins,	3 00
Arthur Flanders,	4 25
Henry Chase,	2 25
Willis Smith,	12 00
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	\$68 15

WINTER.

A. B. Flanders,	\$19 95
C. H. Swain,	13 50
F. Chase,	1 65
E. E. Chase,	2 82
Henry Chase,	2 25

B. G. Ordway,	\$ 7 35
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	\$47 52



DISTRICT No. 20.

D. R. CAVERLY, SURVEYOR.

SUMMER.

D. R. Caverly,	\$24 30
J. M. Hunt,	16 00
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	\$40 30

WINTER BILL NOT IN.



DISTRICT No. 21.

JOHN H. COLBY, SURVEYOR.

SUMMER.

John H. Colby,	\$26 04
Henry Chase,	3 00
Samuel Leishman,	8 50
Howard Skinner,	6 40
L. B. Colby,	4 65
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	\$48 59

WINTER.

John H. Colby,	\$32 82
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DISTRICT NO. 22.

ELMER F. PERKINS, SURVEYOR.

SUMMER.

S. T. Leishman,	\$12 98
Fred Higgins,	6 00
E. F. Perkins,	13 50
F. J. Robinson,	10 00
Milo Higgins,	3 00
Ned Higgins,	4 50
B. F. Roberts,	3 00
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	\$52 98

WINTER.

E. F. Perkins,	\$39 88
Samuel Leishman,	3 75
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	\$43 63



DISTRICT NO. 23.

ELMER L. SANBORN, SURVEYOR.

SUMMER.

Elmer L. Sanborn,	\$14 03
J. E. Sanborn,	2 40
C. L. Smith,	7 00
N. B. Boynton,	7 00
Elmer Perkins,	10 50
Frank Higgins,	4 50
Ned Higgins,	3 75
Fred Higgins,	3 00
L. Higgins,	1 50
I. H. Merrill,	3 50

A. L. Felker,	\$ 1 50
Mr. Casey,	1 50
Willis Smith,	3 50
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	\$63 68

WINTER.

E. L. Sanborn,	\$ 9 55
J. W. Eastman,	6 60
Frank Higgins,	3 60
J. E. Sanborn,	60
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	\$20 35



VILLAGE DISTRICT

D. F. BEAN, SURVEYOR.

SUMMER.

E. L. Dexter,	\$ 4 00
Geo. W. Grant,	55 63
C. H. Berry,	25 65
H. R. Swain,	7 50
H. D. Morrison,	68 35
Chas. Rankin,	26 00
Addison Files,	1 50
Chas. E. Clark,	4 50
Bert Livingston,	16 00
R. F. Bickford,	2 50
Murray Mitchell,	1 15
Bert Perkins,	4 00
H. L. Morrison,	7 43
D. F. Bean,	50 00
C. H. Cram,	1 50
J. W. Clough,	3 00
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	\$278 71

WINTER.

John H. Morrison,	\$31 70
H. D. Morrison,	46 60
D. F. Bean,	59 48
A. H. Shaw,	4 00
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	\$141 78

STREET OFF TERRACE AVE.

E. F. Wiggin, grading,	\$15 70
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MISCELLANEOUS HIGHWAYS.

Pease & Weeks, tools and supplies,	\$ 6 44
J. W. Eastman, bridge plank,	7 83
Geo. H. Clark & Co., bridge plank,	52 87
C. N. Roberts & Co., plow point,	50
Meredith Shook & Lumber Co., plank, stringers and lumber,	9 97
A. J. Chase, storing road machine,	2 00
W. M. Rand estate, supplies and repairs,	14 25
F. J. Robinson, moving road machine,	1 75
G. M. Prescott, repairing tools,	1 65
J. W. Beede & Co., salt and tools,	3 11
J. W. Beede & Co., powder and fuse,	60
J. Hadlock, road machine parts,	43 10
E. W. Prescott, repairing tools,	2 64
J. H. Morrison, freight paid on road machine repairs,	31
J. H. Morrison, labor on snow roller,	2 00
E. H. Maloon, repairing snow plow,	75
J. F. King, repairs to roller and snow plow,	2 50
G. W. Bartlett, drain pipe, caps, dynamite and cement,	30 18
F. L. Hartshorn, flushing drain pipe and painting watering trough,	3 50
Ira D. Weare, repairing road machine,	3 50
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	\$189 45

HIGHWAY SUMMARY.

Surveyors of 1903,	\$1,081 68
Surveyors of 1904—Summer,	1,899 82
Surveyors of 1904—Winter,	966 25
Miscellaneous Highways,	189 45
Street off Terrace Ave.,	15 70
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	\$4,152 90



MAIN STREET CONCRETE.

L. M. Pike & Son, laying concrete, curbing, relay- ing old curbing, patching and recovering street and walks,	\$3,505 70
J. T. Sturtevant, curbing,	6 00
A. W. Dudley, engineer,	81 17
A. Chester Clark, typewriting specifications,	2 00
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	\$3,594 87

Fire, Village and Town Districts.

FIRE DISTRICT.

Edmund Quimby, in part for 1900,	\$ 18 87
“ “ 1901,	31 64
“ “ 1902,	44 55
“ in full, 1904,	2,282 70
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	\$2,377 76

VILLAGE SCHOOL DISTRICT.

F. L. Hawkins, in part for 1900,	\$ 13 34
“ “ 1901,	13 05
“ “ 1902,	16 85
“ in full, 1904,	949 53
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	\$992 77

TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT.

A. J. Mead, in part for 1900,	\$ 10 81
“ “ 1901,	1 46
“ “ 1902,	2 44
“ in full, 1904,	654 55
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	\$669 26
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Total,	\$4,039 79

Abatements.

N. G. Plummer's List of 1898,	\$ 9 07
B. R. Dearborn's Town List, 1904,	118 39
" Fire Dist., 1904,	21 17
" Village School, 1904,	7 25
" Town School,	7 65
	<hr/> \$163 53

For the following reasons:

W. H. Smith, 1898, left town.,	\$ 3 37
Weeks & Covey, 1898, error,	5 70
James Maloney, 1904, not in Fire Dist.,	73
Alvin Smith, 1904, paid in New Hampton,	2 80
Chas. Brown, 1904, not 21,	2 80
J. S. Prescott, 1904, not in Fire Dist.,	73
Geo. W. Green, 1904, error,	5 88
Mrs. <u>Ida E.</u> Howe, 1904, not in Fire Dist.,	2 19
J. W. E. Farrell, 1904, not 21,	2 80
Edward Perkins, 1904, non-resident,	23 52
J. H. Knowles, 1904, over 70,	2 80
Fred Lothar, 1904, not 21,	2 80
W. S. Mead, 1904, over 70,	1 96
John Chattle, 1904, paid in Laconia,	2 80
Donald C. Buchan, 1904, paid in Mass.,	2 80
Oscar Perkins, 1904, not 21,	2 80
Mrs. <u>J. G.</u> Baldwin, 1904, non-resident,	6 87
W. D. Clark, 1904, not in Town School Dist.,	18
Herbert Ennis, 1904, paid in Plymouth,	2 80
Pine Island Outing Club, over-valuation,	3 92

D. F. Bean, 1904, over 70,	\$ 2 80
Thos. Gallant, 1904, left town,	2 80
Pine Island Outing Club, 1904, twice taxed,	3 92
Chas. D. Thompson, Jr., U. S. Army,	1 96
Chas. L. Smith, 1904, over-valuation,	1 96
Chas. Gardner, 1904, left town,	2 80
H. O. Woodman, 1904, paid in Franklin,	2 80
H. F. Hawkins, 1904, over 70,	2 07
Frank E. Horne, 1904, paid in Moultonboro,	1 96
Willard H. Gault, 1904, left town,	2 80
Ernest Labelle, 1904, left town,	2 80
J. S. Sanborn, 1904, unable to pay,	16 80
Maria A. Morse, 1904, unable to pay,	5 60
Geo. W. Clark, 1904, over-valuation,	59
Lafayette Boudreau, 1904, left town,	2 80
Chas. W. Holman, 1904, left town,	59
Edmund Boulanger, 1904, paid in Laconia,	2 75
Geo. O. Swain, 1904, unable to pay,	1 96
D. H. Cummings, 1904, out of state,	1 96
James Sargent, 1904, left town,	1 96
B. F. Crockett, 1904, left town,	1 96
Chas. C. Mudgett, 1904, unable to pay,	1 96
Geo. S. Elliott, 1904, left town,	1 96
F. B. Kimball, 1904, paid in Manchester,	1 96
Fred W. Nichols, 1904, boat removed from state,	11 76
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	\$163 53

RECAPITULATION.

By whole amount of receipts,		\$25,714 89
Paid Appropriations,	\$4,664 90	
School Money,	3,104 17	
School Supplies,	405 40	
Main Street Steel and Iron		
Bridge,	664 89	
County Aid to Dependent Sol-		
diers and their Families,	338 60	
County Charges,	206 21	
Town Aid to Dependent Soldiers		
and their Families,	79 83	
Town Charges,	31 30	
Damage to Domestic Animals by		
Dogs,	87 00	
Use of Watering Troughs,	14 00	
Highway Tax Refunded,	75 60	
Bounty on Hedgehogs,	13 50	
Drinking Fountains—C. Henry		
Adams legacy,	86 07	
General Expenses,	783 29	
Town Officers,	1,359 97	
Highways and Bridges,	4,152 90	
Main Street Concrete,	3,594 87	
Fire, Village and Town Dis-		
tricts,	4,039 79	
Abatements,	163 53	
		\$23,865 82
Leaving a balance of		\$1,849 07
Accounted for as follows:		
Due on N. G. Plummer's List of 1898,		\$ 10 72
P. A. Ellsworth's Town List, 1899,		224 20

Due on P. A. Ellsworth's Fire Dist., 1899,	\$ 40 84
“ Village School, 1899,	12 31
“ Town School, 1899,	12 75
“ Town List, 1900,	229 28
“ Fire Dist., 1900,	33 23
“ Village School, 1900,	13 89
“ Town School, 1900,	6 21
“ Town List, 1901.	280 01
“ Fire Dist., 1901,	81 27
“ Village School, 1901,	25 63
“ Town School, 1901,	6 73
“ Town List, 1902,	117 12
“ Fire Dist., 1902,	22 06
“ Village School, 1902,	6 75
“ Town School, 1902,	2 86
Cash in hands of Selectmen, balance C. Henry	
Adams legacy,	13 93
Cash in Treasury,	709 28
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	\$1,849 07

Financial Condition of the Town, February 15, 1905.

ASSETS.

Due on Collector's books,	\$1,125 86	
G. G. Fogg Trust Fund,	1,028 00	
Cash in hands of Selectmen, balance		
C. Henry Adams legacy,	13 93	
Due from Belknap County,	2 50	
Cash in hands of Selectmen, rental		
Thomas L. Leavitt land,	20 00	
Cash in Treasury,	709 28	
	<hr/>	\$2,899 57

LIABILITIES.

Due Town School District,	28 55	
Due Village School District,	58 58	
Due Village Fire District,	177 40	
School Money due Town District,	290 93	
School Money due Village District,	796 09	
Due G. G. Fogg Trust Fund,	1,028 00	
Due Mrs. S. D. Sanborn,	1,300 00	
Due A. A. Kidder,	500 00	
Due Meredith Village Savings Bank,	1,000 00	
	<hr/>	\$5,179 55
Liabilities above assets,		<hr/> \$2,279 98

By vote of the town \$2,800 of the above liabilities was used for laying concrete streets.

GEORGE F. SANBORN,
FRED H. SMITH,
BERT G. ORDWAY,
Selectmen of Meredith.

We have examined the foregoing accounts and found them correctly cast and properly vouched.

BERTRAM BLAISDELL,
EDMUND QUIMBY,
Auditors.

TREASURER'S REPORT.



Recapitulation of the Town of Meredith, N.H.

1904.			
Feb. 15.	To cash in Treasury,	\$	92 11
	To cash received of Selectmen,		4,101 77
"	" Solon E. Carter,		3,175 08
"	" N. H. State License Com.,		6 20
"	" J. S. Wadleigh, dog licenses,		251 18
"	" B. R. Dearborn, taxes 1900,		112 43
"	" " " 1901,		113 31
"	" " " 1902,		173 73
"	" " " 1903,		45 46
"	" " " 1904,		12,300 51
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			\$20,371 78

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By Cash paid S. B. Cole, County Tax,	\$	2,453 90
" " Solon E. Carter, State Tax,		1,131 00
" " Selectmen's Orders,		16,077 60
By Cash in Treasury,		709 28
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		\$20,371 78

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK B. PEASE,
Treasurer.

We have examined the foregoing account and found it correctly cast and properly vouched.

BERTRAM BLAISDELL,
EDMUND QUIMBY,

Auditors.

Report of Treasurer of Meredith Public Library.



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To bal. reported March 1, 1904,	\$ 40 14
To received of Sadie Noyes,	1 75
Selectmen,	500 00
Base Ball Fund,	11 39
Book Fund Entertainment,	34 65
Librarian, fines, etc.,	25 00

	\$612 93

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By Bertram Blaisdell, Insurance,	\$ 40 00
Geo. F. Sanborn, Insurance,	40 00
Horace A. Brooks, rebinding books,	17 42
Record book,	1 00
C. E. Eastman, care of clock four years,	15 00
J. H. Gilbert, books,	41 50
Geo. F. Sanborn, 11,393 lbs coal,	41 30
P. A. Ellsworth, Insurance,	24 37
Library bureau furnishings,	3 50
M. S. & L. Co., 2 cords wood,	6 00
Mary E. Bedee, Librarian, to Aug. 18,	25 00
Meredith Electric Co.,	22 40
Geo. H. Clark & Co.,	1 40
Periodicals,	29 35

J. M. Neal, 1 cord wood,	\$ 5 00
R. S. Moses, digging drain,	3 50
Gilbert Pynn, repairs,	13 08
F. J. Barnard & Co., rebinding books,	35 30
E. L. Dexter, Janitor to March 1,	108 74
J. Chattle, fitting wood,	2 75
Freight,	2 24
Express,	1 65
Water tax,	9 00
Pease & Weeks, supplies,	1 30
Old Corner Book Store, books,	103 67
Balance in Treasury,	18 46
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	\$612 93

FRED H. SMITH, Treasurer.

We have examined the foregoing account and found it correctly cast and properly vouched.

BERTRAM BLAISDELL,
EDMUND QUIMBY,

Auditors.

Report of Trustees of Meredith Public Library.



That the Library is increasing in usefulness is shown by the fact that its circulation is larger this year than ever before; still, there are many homes that it does not reach where it would be of great benefit.

Friends of the Library have shown their interest in various ways. Mr. B. M. Smith, not content with what he has already done, is always watching for a chance to help, and this year has proved no exception, as in several different ways he has looked after the best interests of the Library. Mr. Frank Gilman of New York was the promoter of an entertainment, given by several of our summer guests, which added considerably to our funds. The proceeds of a ball game on the Fourth of July were also donated, and Mr. Geo. Hilton of Paterson, N.J., very kindly sent a box of books.

The total number of books issued during the year is 9,115.

Forty-two books have been presented to the Library and 139 have been added by purchase.

B. R. DEARBORN,
F. H. SMITH,
ROY BICKFORD,
SARAH M. NOYES,
LILLIAN WADLEIGH.

REPORT OF TOWN SCHOOL BOARD.



To the Selectmen of the Town of Meredith:

Your board has adopted the rule of paying all teachers a uniform price of \$7.00 per week. We had schools in the spring as follows: District No. 2, Miss Stella Hayes; District No. 3, Miss Lettie Berry; District No. 6, Miss Mina Whitcher; District No. 8, Miss Rachel G. Smith; District No. 9 and 10, Mrs. Eva J. Felker; District No. 11, Miss Mary E. Smith; District No. 13, Miss Alice L. Moulton; District No. 16 and 17, Mrs. Edith Robinson. Length of spring term, 11 weeks.

The fall term of 8 weeks was taught by the same teachers, except that Miss Rachel G. Smith was transferred to No. 11, Mrs. Mildred Allen Colby taught No. 8, Mrs. Isabel Ambler Gilman in District No. 12, Miss Bertha Watts of New Hampton in No. 16 and 17 and Miss Phoebe Whitcher in No. 6.

Winter terms were taught by same teachers, except Dist. No. 16 and 17, which was discontinued and scholars in No. 3 were transferred to No. 4.

As a whole, the schools have been quite satisfactory.

We have drawn orders during the year to the

amount of	\$2,230 51
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For the following purposes:

Teachers' salaries,	\$1,442 00
Outside tuition,	401 64
Supplies,	124 37

Conveying scholars,	\$184 00
Repairs,	53 56
Town School Librarian's salary,	25 00

The balance of appropriation for library is still in the hands of the treasurer. The reason for delaying the purchase of new books was because of the many criticisms made in the past that books had been selected more to the tastes of the adult than of the children. We have made a very careful selection and endeavored to buy books in nearly every instance suited to the youth of the district.

We wish to call the attention of parents to the advisability of visiting the schools in their districts and of co-operating with the teacher for the better education of the children.



Tuition Paid Under High School Law.

NEW HAMPTON INSTITUTION.

	Spring	Fall	Winter
J. F. Smith, Jr.,	\$13 00	\$12 00	\$12 00
Barbara Smith,	13 00	13 00	13 00
Ruth M. Flanders,	13 00	20 00	13 00
W. S. Murray,	6 00		
Iva Eastman,	12 00	12 00	12 00
Florence Allen,		12 00	12 00
Nat Drake,		14 00	
Arthur Philbrick,		14 00	14 00
	<hr/> \$57 00	<hr/> \$97 00	<hr/> 76 00

TILTON SEMINARY.

	Spring.	Fall.	Winter.
Merton Meserve,	\$13 34		\$13 33
Frank Ballard,		13 33	13 33
Ralph Merrill,		13 33	13 33

W. S. Murray,	\$13 33	\$13 33
R. N. Brown,	13 33	13 33
Timothy McCarty,		13 33
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	\$13 34	\$53 32 \$79 98

LACONIA HIGH SCHOOL.

Mary E. Smith,	\$14 00	\$14 00
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	\$70 34	\$161 32 \$169 98

J. F. SMITH,
A. L. FELKER,
School Board.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.



To the Selectmen of the Town of Meredith:

The Board of Education for District No 5 submits the following report, covering the Spring, Fall and Winter terms of the year just past.

The spring term of the Primary Department was in charge of Mrs. I. A. Gilman, who completed a year of hard and earnest work. The fall and winter terms have been taught by Miss Elizabeth L. Harvey of Hillsboro. Miss Harvey is well adapted to work in this grade and the results accomplished have been satisfactory to the Board.

	Spring	Fall	Winter
Number of scholars,	59	53	50

The attendance in this grade taxes the limit of the room and demands more work than one teacher can give. Relief could be obtained by giving the first grade children a separate room and instructor.

The Intermediate grade has again been in charge of Miss Grace E. Lawrence and her high standard of work has been maintained.

	Spring	Fall	Winter
Number of scholars,	42	40	42

The Grammar grades have been taught by Miss S. Gertrude Watson and the usual satisfactory work has been accomplished.

	Spring	Fall	Winter
Number of scholars,	37	36	38

The spring term of the High School was taught by Gardner M. Parker, Jr. of Gorham, Me. With the fall term, Edmund T. Duffield of Middlebury University took charge and the work of the year, thus far, has been pleasing to students, parents and the Board. Mr. Duffield comes with excellent preparation and manifests great interest in his work.

	Spring	Fall	Winter
Number of scholars,	26	23	20

Special work in singing under direction of F. H. Osgood and in drawing under direction of Miss Abby H. Jewett has been continued during the year and noticeable advancement made in each.

There has been a large falling off in the number of tuition pupils, caused by the High School law, which gives them their tuition at expense of the town when they attend an approved school. Our High not being up to the standard, we fail to get the attendance.

The school year has consisted of 33 weeks in the lower grades and 36 in the High School.

Respectfully submitted,

B. BLAISDELL, Chairman,
EDWIN C. MANSFIELD, Sec'y,
F. L. HAWKINS, Treas.,
ELLA E. EATON,
CASSANDRA L. HALL,
EDMUND QUIMBY.



Vital Statistics.



Births Registered in the Town of Meredith for the Year Ending December 31, 1914.

Date of Birth.	Name of child (if any.)	Living or Stillborn.	No. of Children, 1, 2, 3, etc.	Color.	Father's Name.	Mother's Maiden Name.	Color.	Residence of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Mother	Age of Father.
Jan. 2	George Blake	Stillborn	1	All	Oscar J. Piper	Grace B. Bartlett	Meredith		Clerk	Meredith	Tuftsboro	24	17
Jan. 4		Living	1	White	Charles H. Blake	Mary J. Wells	"	"	Laborer	"	Iceland	25	23
Jan. 20	Mary	"	1	"	John H. Collins	Carrie L. Nudl	"	"	Farmer	Lacania	Ce'tr Harbor	25	23
Feb. 10		"	4	"	Leroy Cockran	Myrtie K. Messer	"	"	Farmer	Worcester	New London	32	35
Feb. 12		"	5	"	Joseph F. King	Ada M. Beardsley	"	"	Blacksmith	Worcester	Canada	34	34
Mar. 1	Marion	"	2	"	Norman Martin	Grace E. Maloon	"	"	Laborer	E. Haverhill	Chicago, Ill.	31	25
Mar. 25	Mary Frances	"	5	"	Arthur H. Plasted	Grace E. Maloon	"	"	Plumber	Meredith	Meredith	22	23
May 2		"	1	"	Albert B. Morrison	Bessie A. Blackey	"	"	Mill operative	Meredith	Moultonboro	29	26
May 20	Aurettia E.	"	1	"	Gilbert Pynn	Susan A. Carter	"	"	Metal worker	Groton, Vt.	Moultonboro	21	20
July 17	Edward M.	"	5	"	Arthur Morrison	Bertha Sturtevant	Norwood	"	Carpenter	Newfndland	Nova Scotia	46	44
Aug. 13	Maud Marie	"	6	"	Henry W. Curry	Clara B. Jordan	Meredith	"	Carpenter	Norwood	Groveland, M.	36	28
Aug. 28	Frank A.	"	1	"	Rodney N. Hubbard	Winnie L. Cox	"	"	Blacksmith	Sheldon, Vt.	Westford, Vt.	35	29
Sept. 18	Margaret E.	"	3	"	Alfred F. Hall	Annie G. Wadleigh	"	"	Laborer	Ce'tr Harbor	Ce'tr Harbor	34	33
Sept. 20		"	1	"	Edmund G. Eastman	Cora McCormick	"	"	Manufacturer	Janata Plain	Meredith	33	34
Sept. 28		"	3	"	Fred Perkins	Lottie M. Clark	"	"	Clergyman	Madison	Georgetown R.I.	58	34
Sept. 28		"	4	"	C. T. White	Georgia Parry	"	"	Laborer	Meredith	Canada	26	24
Sept. 28	Richard C.	"	5	"	William J. Blake	Hedra Sworski	"	"	Carpenter	Nova Scotia	Canada	26	24
Oct. 15	Alberta W.	"	1	"	Adrian N. Williams	Grace E. Prescott	Groton, Vt.	"	Farmer	Topsham Vt	Chelsea, Mass	29	18
Oct. 23		"	2	"	Leland H. Grant	Edith M. Bryant	Meredith	"	Farmer	Moultonboro	Meredith	26	22
Oct. 30		"	1	"	Declined to state	Mattie Wiggin	"	"	Laborer	Moultonboro	Moultonboro	19	17
Nov. 14		"	1	"	Stephen D. Moses	Laura Campbell	"	"	Farmer	Groton	Meredith	22	22
Dec. 8		Stillborn	4	"			"	"	Farmer	Gilford	Meredith	43	29
Dec. 20		Living	1	"	Fred George	Alice Berry	"	"	Painter	Hardwick, Vt	Holderness	24	20

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JOHN S. WADLEIGH, Town Clerk.

Marriages Registered in the Town of Meredith for the Year Ending December 31, 1904.

Date of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of marriage.	Color of Each		Occupation of Groom and Bride.	No. times mar'd.	Place of Birth.	Names of parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Occupation of Parents.	Name and residence of person by whom mar- ried.
			Age in Years	Age in Years							
Jan. 2	Miles G. Evans	Meredith	36		Operative	2	Holderness	Caleb Evans Isabel Taylor	Holderness	Farmer	Rev. John Thorpe
	Susie B. Hill	Moultonboro	25		Housekeeper	2	Moultonboro	George Mallard Josephine Mooney	Moultonboro	Housewife	Center Harbor
Jan. 23	John A. Perkins	Meredith	25		Operative	1	Holderness	Aaron Perkins Doris M. Brown	Center Harbor	Laborer	Rev. Justus Erskine
	Annie B. Marden	Holderness	17		Housekeeper	1	"	George W. Marden Adelaide S. Greenleaf	Holderness	Housewife	Meredith
Jan. 23	Archie F. Cross	Meredith	26		Board Sawyer	1	N Hampton	F. R. Cross	"	Blacksmith	Rev. William H. Brock
	Ethel M. Maloon	"	23		Housekeeper	1	Meredith	Charles W. Maloon Alice C. Frink	Meredith	Blacksmith	Laconia
Jan. 30	John S. Prescott	"	36		Bleacher	2	Sandwich	John M. Prescott Mary A. Webster	Sandwich	Shoemaker	Rev. G. I. Bard
	Elizabeth Ferguson	"	21		Housekeeper	1	Manchester	Frank T. Ferguson Caroline Crausshaw	Bedford	Housewife	Meredith
Mar 12	Howard Huckins	Ashland	22		Laborer	1	Ashland	Deloss Huckins Annie Howard	Manchester	Housewife	
	Florence Perkins	Meredith	16		At Home	1	Meredith	Abbie R. Aldridge William Neal	Holderness	Blacksmith	Rev. G. I. Bard
Apr. 28	W. H. Neal	"	32		Farmer	1	Meredith	Mary E. Smith James H. Neal	Moultonboro	Laborer	Meredith
	Lucy M. R. Neal	Tuftonboro	31		Teacher	1	Tuftonboro	Adelaide Copp	Ossipee	Housewife	Rev. Levi Ferguson
									Sanborn	Farmer	Center Tuftonboro.
									Tuftonboro	Housewife	

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Date of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of marriage.	Age in Years	Color of Each	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	No. times mar'd.	Place of Birth.	Names of parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Occupation of Parents.	Name and residence of person by whom married.	
May 7	Oscar L. Perkins	Meredith	20	All White			1	Meredith	West Perkins Dale R. Aldridge	Tamworth	Laborer	Rev. G. I. Bard
	Ethel J. Davis	Ossipee	19		Housekeeper	1	Ossipee	John Davis Ivan Hobbs	Ossipee	Housewife	Housewife	Meredith
21	Albert H. Bowers	Meredith	19		Carder	1	Campton	Earl R. Bowers Ed L. Bridge	Ossipee	Housewife	Housewife	Rev. E. G. Eastman
	Grace Thurston	"	18		At Home	1	Meredith	George Thurston Wesley Perkins	"	Janitor	Housewife	Meredith
June 1	Frank O. Thompson	"	22		Shoemaker	1	C'tr Harbor	James H. Thompson Dora M. Randall	C'ter Harbor	Housewife	Carpenter	Rev. E. G. Eastman
	Roxana May Collins	"	22		Housekeeper	2	Lakeport	John Baker Marla B. Gilman	"	Housewife	Housewife	Meredith
13	Joseph Le May	Lisbon	21		Operative	1	Littleton	Oliver LeMay Allen Gerdeau	Canada	Operative	Housewife	Rev. G. I. Bard
	Lizzie Clark	Meredith	17		Housekeeper	1	Meredith	Charles Clark Fattie Pickering	Meredith	Laborer	Housewife	Meredith
Aug 15	Wilfred J. Clark	"	21		Mill Operative	1	West Camton	Henry L. Clark Addie C. Page	Campton	Laborer	Housewife	Rev. J. L. Felt
	Mabel A. Aldrich	So. Royalton	20		Teacher	1	So. Royalton	Wilford Aldrich Mary A. Joice	Canaan	Housewife	Job Teamster	Portsmouth
21	George Thompson	Meredith	23		Engineer	1	Tuftenboro	Charles Thompson Emma E. Fernald	Tamworth	Housewife	Stone Cutter	Rev. John Thorpe
	Catherine Crawford	Plymouth	29		Housekeeper	2	Campton	John G. Moulton Elizabeth Moulton	Tuftenboro	Housewife	Blacksmith	C'tr Harbor

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Sept. 22	Albridge Thompson	Meredith	31	Farmer	1	West Concord	Frank J. Thompson	Gilford	Farmer	Rev. N. Glidden
	Lizzie E. Bickford	"	23	Housekeeper	1	Meredith	Ellen A. Perkins	Somersworth	Housewife	Meredith
19	Howard A. Smith	"	28	Carpenter	2	Meredith Ctr	James E. Bickford	"	Housewife	Rev. George A. Williams
	Josie Fifield	New Ha'pton	28	Housekeeper	2	Ctr Harbor	Adeline M. Dow	Meredith Ctr	Farmer	Meredith
Oct. 22	Fred A. Hutchins	Meredith	20	Laborer	1	Rumney	William B. Smith	Ctr Harbor	Housewife	Rev. Justus Erskine
	Eva M. Cram	Moultonboro	20	Housekeeper	1	Canada	Josie A. McIntire	Ctr Harbor	Mason	Meredith
Nov. 26	Victor R. Bixby	Meredith	54	Farmer	2	W Topsham	Enos Nudd	"	Housewife	Meredith
	Mary E. Neary	"	28	Dressmaker	1	Worcester	Clara M. Hadley	Ctr Harbor	Engineer	Rev. Justus Erskine
Dec. 3	John H. Morrison	"	24	Truckman	2	S. Ryegate Vt	Samuel A. Hutchins	Rumney	Housewife	Meredith
	Bertha M. Maloon	"	24	Housekeeper	1	Meredith	Almeda Hartley	Moultonboro	Carpenter	Meredith
14	Orin M. Carr	"	55	Farmer	2	Laconia	Amanda M. Cram	Tunbridge, Vt	Housewife	Rev. G. I. Bard
	Marcella May Copp	Littleton	45	Housewife	2	Gorham	Freeman N. Bixby	Orange, Vt.	Housewife	Meredith
24	A. Russell Lunt	Ctr Harbor	21	Clerk	1	Stillwater Me.	Mary A. Richardson	England	Housewife	Rev. E. B. Tetley
	Ethel A. Burnell	Meredith	25	Tel. Operator	1	St Armand PQ	Nathan Neary	"	Housewife	Rev. E. G. Eastman
							Catherine Kendall	"	Housewife	Meredith
							Charles Morrison	Groton, Vt.	Farmer	Meredith
							Jane Gardner	Newbury, Vt.	Housewife	Meredith
							Charles W. Maloon	Meredith	Blacksmith	Meredith
							Alice Frink	Winchester	Housewife	Meredith
							Robert Carr	New Ha'pton	Farmer	Rev. E. G. Eastman
							Jane Howe	Meredith	Housewife	Meredith
							J. B. Copp	"	Carpenter	Meredith
							Susan G. Rodgers	Jackson	Housewife	Rev. E. B. Tetley
							Isaac G. Lunt	Oldtown, Me.	Housewife	Meredith
							Francis L. Lewis	Alton, Me.	Housewife	Meredith
							Levi G. Burnell	Morristown	Station Agent	Meredith
							Margaret E. Hanigan	Malmalson	Housewife	Meredith

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JOHN S. WADLEIGH, Town Clerk.

Deaths Registered in the Town of Meredith for the Year Ending December 31, 1904.

Date of Death.	Name.	Age		Place of Birth.	Occupat'n	Cause of Death.	Sex.	Color.	Single, Married or Widowed.	Name of Father.	Name of Mother.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.
		Years.	Mos.										
Jan. 14	Tom Schojard	36	2	Manchester	Laborer	B & M. R. R. train	M	W	.....	Patrick Schojard	.....	.....	.....
23	Derlwin K. Corliss	1	8	Meredith	.....	Meningitis	M	W	.....	Clarence Corliss	.....	Meredith	.....
Feb. 1	Stephen Philbrick	80	1	Deerfield	Farmer	Old Age	M	W	.....	Elias Philbrick	.....	Meredith	.....
4	Sarah Webster	83	3	New Hampton	Housewife	Dropsy	F	W	.....	Abraham Harper	.....	N. W. Hampton	.....
19	Bleazer Bickford	81	1	Meredith	Retired	Rheumatism	M	W	.....	Levi Allen	.....	.....	.....
Mar. 2	Charles Allen	83	2	Gilmanton	Operative	Apoplexy	M	W	.....	John Bickford	.....	.....	.....
8	Lavinia C. Lull	79	2	Meredith	Housewife	Dilated Heart	F	W	.....	Geo. Perkins	.....	.....	.....
Apr 17	Perkins	3	13	"	.....	Marasmus	F	M	.....	Nancy Bryant	.....	.....	.....
May 13	George L. Chase	30	1	Halifax N. S.	Farmer	Tuberculosis	M	S	.....	Annie Clark	.....	.....	.....
June 8	Susan Davison	68	8	Manchester	Housewife	Apoplexy	F	W	.....	Sarah J. Webster	.....	England	Laconia
July 13	Willis M. Rand	50	8	Manchester	Bl'ksmith	Apoplexy	M	W	.....	John Fleming	.....	Epsom	Manchester
31	Statira Nicholson	89	9	Shapleigh, Me	Housewife	Congestion Liver	F	M	.....	John H. Rand	.....	.....	Wilmot
Sept 2	A. M. Howe	.....	17	.....	.....	Bronchitis	F	W	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
19	Sarah A. Carleton	79	10	Bath	Housewife	Apoplexy	F	F	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Oct. 1	Ida M. Ham	47	4	Meredith	Nurse	Rheumatism	F	W	.....	John George W. Ham	.....	Bradford	Littleton
6	Allie Chase	53	6	"	Housewife	Fibroid Cancer	F	S	.....	Mary A. Tilton	.....	Winston, Me.	Meredith
8	Sylvester Pickering	60	16	Sanbornston	Housewife	Aort Regurgitat'n	F	M	.....	Ephraim Berry	.....	Tamworth	Sandwich
10	Richard C. White	12	Meredith	Laborer	Burned to death	M	S	C. T. White	Nova Scotia	Canada
						Heart disease	M	S	Georgia Parry

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Date of Death.	Name.	Age		Place of Birth.	Occupat'n	Cause of Death.	Single, Married or Widowed.				Name of Father.	Name of Mother.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.
		Years.	Mos.				Days.	Sex.	Color.					
Oct 19	John M. Cate	88	7	31	.....	Farmer	Apoplexy	M	Thomas Cate	Polly Mead	.....	.....	.....	.....
21	Caleb W. Greene	83	1	14	Greenwich	Weaver	Rheumatism	M	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sept 25	Auretta McLane	40	2	9	Burlington Vt	Housewife	Bright's Disease	F	Ezra Willoughby	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dec. 8	.....	.....	.....	.....	Meredith;	.....	Stillborn	.....	Stephen D. Moses	Laura Campbell	Groton	Gilford	.....	.....
15	Ivory N. Hall	72	"	Farmer	Heart Disease	M	Samuel Hall	Abigail Jenness	Bartlett	Meredith

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